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In re Application of:)
Beard et al.) Examiner: Thomas McKenzie
Serial No.: 10/612,667) Art Unit: 1624
Filed: July 2, 2003) Anaheim, California
Title: Amines Substituted with A)
Dihydronaphthalenyl, Chromenyl, or)
Thiocromenyl Group, an Aryl or Heteroaryl)
Group and an Alkyl Group, Having Retinoid-)
Like Biological Activity)

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO
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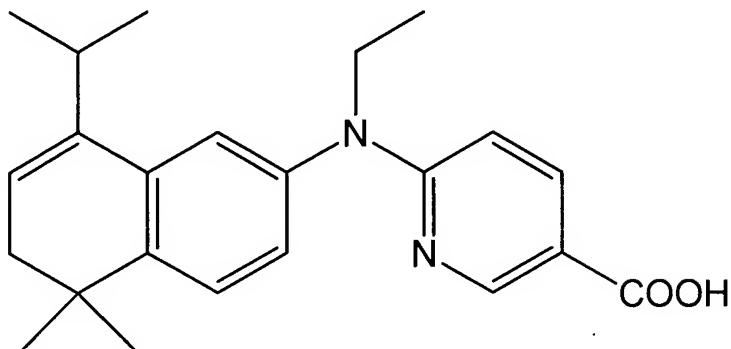
RESPONSE TO REQUIREMENT FOR RESTRICTION AND ELECTION
OF SPECIES

Dear Sir:

In response to the Requirements for Restriction and Election of Species dated September 14, 2004 the applicant, acting through the undersigned attorney elects Claim Group 1 (Claims 10, 14, 15, 28-33 and parts of Claim 1 – 9) for immediate prosecution.

Applicant elects **Compound 172** as the single required species.

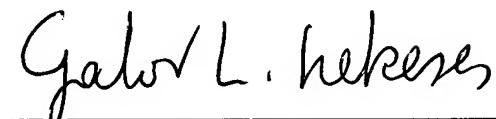
Compound 172 has the following structure



Compound 172 can be found, *inter alia* on pages 48 and 113 of the specification. Claims 1 - 3, 6 - 9, 10, 14, 15 and 28 - 33 read on the elected species.

The requirements for restriction and election of species are respectfully traversed on the basis that in the applicant's opinion a search directed to the entire subject matter of the claims would not be unduly burdensome.

Respectfully submitted,



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